

APPROVED
VIRGINIA BOARD OF MEDICINE
SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE MINUTES DECEMBER 16, 2020
Department of Health Professions
Perimeter Center
9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 201
Henrico, VA

CALL TO ORDER: A Special Conference Committee of the Board was called to order at 9:08 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: L. Blanton Marchese, Chair
Lori Conklin, M.D.
Manjit Dhillon, M.D.

STAFF PRESENT: Jennifer L. Deschenes, Deputy Executive Director, Discipline
Jennie F. Wood, Case Manager, Discipline
Anne Joseph, Adjudication Specialist

OTHERS PRESENT: William Overstreet

MATTER: Linda Sue Cheek, M.D. License No.: 0101-049522
Case No.: 203220

DISCUSSION: Dr. Cheek appeared before the Committee in person in accordance with a Notice of the Board dated October 9, 2020. Dr. Cheek was not represented by counsel.

The Committee fully reviewed Dr. Cheek's petition for reinstatement and discussed the allegations in the Notice with Dr. Cheek.

CLOSED SESSION: Upon a motion by Dr. Conklin, and duly seconded by Dr. Dhillon, the Committee voted to convene a closed meeting pursuant to §2.2-3711.A (27) of the Code of Virginia, for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Dr. Cheek. Additionally, she moved that Ms. Deschenes and Ms. Wood attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the Committee in its deliberations.

RECONVENE: Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed session met the requirements of §2.2-3712 of the Code, the Committee re-convened in open session and announced its decision.

DECISION:

Upon a motion by Dr. Conklin, and duly seconded by Dr. Dhillon, the Committee made certain findings of fact and conclusions of law and voted to deny Dr. Cheek's petition for reinstatement.

VOTE:

The vote was unanimous.

ADJOURNMENT:

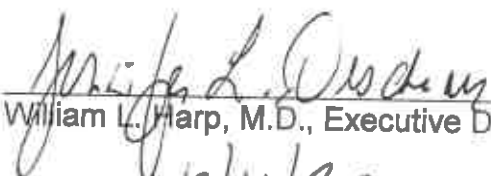
The Committee adjourned at 10:33 a.m.

As provided by law this decision shall become a Final Order thirty (30) days after service of such Order on Dr. Cheek, unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Dr. Cheek, within such time. If service of the Order is made by mail three (3) additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the decision of the Special Conference Committee shall be vacated.



L. Blanton Marchese, Chair

12/16/2020
Date


For _____
William L. Harp, M.D., Executive Director

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CALL TO ORDER: A Special Conference Committee of the Board was called to order at 11:35 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Lori Conklin, M.D., Chair
Manjit Dhillon, M.D.
L. Blanton Marchese

STAFF PRESENT: Jennifer L. Deschenes, Deputy Executive Director, Discipline
Jennie F. Wood, Case Manager, Discipline
Victoria Hinton, Adjudication Specialist

MATTER: **Teofilo Cano Mascarinas, M.D. License No.: 0101-021848**
Case Nos.: 181380, 181758

DISCUSSION: Dr. Mascarinas appeared before the Committee in person in accordance with a Notice of the Board dated September 3, 2020. Dr. Mascarinas was not represented by counsel.

The Committee fully discussed the allegations in the Notice with Dr. Mascarinas.

CLOSED SESSION: Upon a motion by Mr. Marchese, and duly seconded by Dr. Dhillon, the Committee voted to convene a closed meeting pursuant to §2.2-3711.A (27) of the Code of Virginia, for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Dr. Mascarinas. Additionally, he moved that Ms. Deschenes and Ms. Wood attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the Committee in its deliberations.

RECONVENE: Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed session met the requirements of §2.2-3712 of the Code, the Committee re-convened in open session and announced its decision.

DECISION:

Upon a motion by Mr. Marchese, and duly seconded by Dr. Dhillon, the Committee voted to refer this matter to a formal hearing since the suspension or revocation of Dr. Mascarinas' license may be justified which is not within the authority of the Committee pursuant to §54.1-2400(10) of the Code of Virginia.

VOTE:

The vote was unanimous.

ADJOURNMENT:

The Committee adjourned at 12:35 p.m.

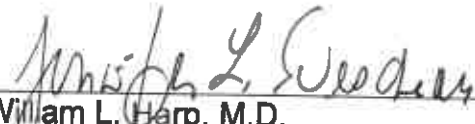
A formal hearing will be scheduled for a future date for a final determination.



Lori Conklin, M.D., Chair
President

12/16/2020

Date

For 

William L. Harp, M.D.
Executive Director

12/16/2020

Date